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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Yuji SAEKI et al.

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Art Unit:

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Examiner:

R. Chang

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

January 11, 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the two months subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action dated August 24, 2004. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the amount of \$450.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Mattingly, Stanger & Malur, P.C., Account No. 50-1417 (referencing attorney docket no. 520.39527X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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